

In the Drawings

Please amend the drawings by adding the following figure, Figure 32.

REMARKS

Claims 4, 6, 7, 9, and 11-14 are currently pending in this case. Claims 4, 6, 7, and 9 have been amended; claims 1-3, 5, 8, and 10 have been canceled; claims 11-14 are new.

Applicants have carefully considered the Office Action mailed on June 26, 2007, and in response submit the above amendments and the following remarks.

1. Drawings

The Office Action requested Applicant to provide a drawing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.81(c). Applicant's understanding of this request is that a drawing corresponding to the subject matter of claim 1 should be submitted. That drawing is submitted with this Response, as new Figure 32. The specification is amended appropriately. No new matter is added.

2. Claim Objections

Claim 1 was objected to because of an informality. Claim 1 has been canceled. The informality is not present in the remaining claims.

3. Claim Rejections

Claims 1-3, 5, 8, and 10 were rejected over Furlong (U.S. Pat. App. Pub. 2007/0055939) and Estrada (U.S. Pat. No. 7,028,262). These rejections are now moot, since all of the rejected claims have been canceled. However, these cancellations should not be construed as an admission that the claims are not patentable. Applicant reserves the right to pursue those claims in a continuing application.

4. Allowable Claims

Claims 4, 6, 7, and 9 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but deemed to be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claims 4, 6, 7, and 9 have been rewritten in independent form to include all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Specifically, claim 4 includes all of the limitations of claims 1-3; claims 6 and 7 include all of the limitations of claims 1 and 5, and claim 9 includes all of the limitations of claim 1.

New claims 11-14 are method claims corresponding to allowable claims 4, 6, 7, and 9, and consequently also are believed to be allowable.

No fee is believed to be due with this Response. However, if any fee is due, please charge that fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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